

Oil Field Environmental Incident Summary

Incident: 20150712151717 **Date/Time of Notice:** 07/12/2015 15:17

Responsible Party: ENERPLUS RESOURCES USA CORPORATION

Well Operator: ENERPLUS RESOURCES USA CORPORATION

Well Name: MINK 150-94-04B-09H TF

Field Name: SPOTTED HORN

Well File #: 29531

Date Incident: 7/11/2015 **Time Incident:** 13:00

Facility ID Number:

County: MCKENZIE

Twp: 151

Rng: 94

Sec: 33

Qtr:

Location Description: Well pad

Submitted By: Tony Lucero

Received By:

Contact Person: Marshall Melnechuk
US BANK TOWER
950 17TH ST STE 2200
DENVER, CO 80202

General Land Use: Pasture

Affected Medium: Well/Facility Soil

Distance Nearest Occupied Building: 2 Mile

Distance Nearest Water Well: 2 Mile

Type of Incident: Tank Overflow

Release Contained in Dike: Yes - On Constructed Well Site

Reported to NRC: Yes

	Spilled	Units	Recovered	Units	Followup	Units
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Oil

Brine

Other	4	Barrels	4	Barrels		
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Description of Other Released Contaminant:

Invert drilling mud

Inspected:

Written Report Received:

Clean Up Concluded:

Risk Evaluation:

None

Areal Extent:

The entire release was contained on the plastic containment.

Potential Environmental Impacts:

None. The release remained contained on the containment plastic.

Action Taken or Planned:

The system was stopped and the released drilling mud was vacuumed up and returned to the system.

Wastes Disposal Location: The released fluid was returned to the system. No waste was generated.

Agencies Involved: BLM, BIA and The three affiliated Tribes

Updates

Date: 7/13/2015 **Status:** Reviewed - Assigned to Other Agency **Author:** Crowdus, Kory

Updated Oil Volume:

Updated Salt Water Volume:

Updated Other Volume:

Updated Other Contaminant

Notes:

Release, due to a tank overflow, remained on location according to the report. Location is within MHA nation. Report forwarded to MHA environmental, BIA, and EPA.

Date: 9/3/2015 **Status:** Reviewed - No Action Required **Author:** Cooper, Mike

Updated Oil Volume:

Updated Salt Water Volume:

Updated Other Volume:

Updated Other Contaminant

Notes:

According to the report, spill remained on location. BIA/Tribal oversight. No further followup required.